

Perry PTA Slates Tea for Mothers

Welcoming youngsters to school for the first time, the Perry Elementary School PTA held a Welcome Tea for kindergarteners Wednesday.

On hand to say hello to the youngsters and their mothers were Mrs. William Lane, hospitality chairman; Mrs. Max Cogdill, co-hospitality chairman, and Mrs. Edward Murawski, president.

At the get-together, mothers were served tea and sandwiches and children were served cookies and punch.

Rosemary DeCamp Meets Sisterhood

Rosemary DeCamp, noted actress and local club woman will speak on "Women in Politics" at Temple Menorah Sisterhood's first meeting of the season Sept. 12 at 8 p.m. at 112 N. Catalina, Redondo Beach.

Miss DeCamp may currently be seen on TV in "Love That Bob" and "Death Valley Days." On the screen, she is appearing in "13 Ghosts." She writes a column for the Sunday Breeze and is very active in Democratic Party politics.

Persons desiring information or in need of transportation may contact Mrs. Albert Carmona, FR 9-7953; Mrs. Harvey Abramson, FR 7-1208; or Mrs. Paul Glassman, FR 5-0616.

Group Charts Tops for Overweight Women

Women interested in joining TOPS (take off pounds sensibly), an organization designed to help overweight women to lose weight, is being established at Torrance.

To receive information about the organization, Millie Martin, FA 8-3080, can be contacted.



WELCOME, KINDERGARTENERS — Greeting youngsters upon their first encounter with school, (left to right) Mrs. Max Cogdill, co-hospitality chairman, and Mrs. William Lane, hospitality chairman, greet Sandra Thomas and her mother, Mrs. Donald R. Thomas (seated), and Bonnie Lunden and her mother, Mrs. William Lunden, at a Welcome Tea sponsored by Perry PTA Wednesday.

—Photo by Bob Wintermeyer

Y Wives Club Holds Fun Day

The Torrance Y Wives Club are having a Fun Day at 2320 Carson, Sept. 20 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Child care will be provided and refreshments served.

This will be the first Y Wives meeting of the year. A crazy hat is required for admission.

Political Researcher Addresses Local Club

Presenting a question-answer session for Republican women of the area, Katherine C. Wright, research chairman of the L.A. County Federation of Republican Women, will attend the luncheon meeting of the South Bay Club of Federated Republican Women today.

The meeting, to be held Thursday, will be slated at

Smith Brothers Fish Shanty, Waverly.

Mrs. Wright has been active in politics for 10 years. She first participated in the 1950 Nixon election and, since that time, has received the Congressional Record from Nixon, indexing it for political use.

She compiled campaign speakers' manuals for Senator Kuchel and Knowland's

governorship campaign; researched and wrote the Knowland-Brown and Tremham-Richards comparisons; and recently wrote the Portrait of Dick Nixon and other material on Nixon and 1960 issues.

For two years Mrs. Wright has been Research Chairman of the L.A. County Federation of Republican Women. She has also been legislation, education and Americanism chairman of this organization.

The speaker served two years as alternate on the County Central Committee, two terms as associate member of the State Central Committee and served on the County Federation Nationalities Committee. She has been a member of the County Central Committee Speakers' Bureau.

Mrs. Wright has been legislative chairman for seven years and study chairman for two years of the Glendale Republican Women's Study Club which has a membership of about 200. She also served on Mrs. Llewellyn's school book study committee.

Graduate of Stanford in 1926, with a major in history, Mrs. Wright was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Theta Sigma Phi, honorary women's journalism fraternities. Mrs. Wright has three children and 10 grandchildren.

Alumnae Chapter Begins Tri Delts

Plans for organizing an afternoon Delta Delta Delta alumnae group as a new section of the South Bay Alumnae Chapter will occupy the Tri Deltas at its first fall meeting Sept. 14 at the home of Mrs. Hobart P. Schram, 3420 Palms Verdes Drive North.

Mrs. Carl Stoffers, who was recently appointed president to fill the vacancy left by the

departure of Mrs. Ronald Holt, announced the new group will meet the first Wednesday afternoon of each month.

Edison PTA Elects Head

Recently elected president of the Edison PTA, Mrs. William Cassida will serve in that capacity for a second term this fall. Mrs. Cassida was charter prexy for the organization during its first year, 1956-57.

Since that time, she has served as program chairman and parliamentarian at Edison, as well as serving on the executive board and participating as parliamentarian at North High and on the Torrance Council PTA.

Other new officers at Edison are Mrs. Thomas Seegar, second vice president; Mrs. Robert Kandler, program chairman; Mr. John Rozum, third vice president; Mrs. John Staffel, recording secretary; Mrs. John Bauer, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Charles Austin, treasurer.

Mrs. Dwight Preston, finance secretary; Mrs. Wayne Burgett, auditor; Mrs. Herb Fisher, historian; and Mrs. Bert Richardson, parliamentarian, are among other selected.

Mrs. Cassida has announced the appointment and ratification of the following chairmen: Mrs. William Taylor, art; Mrs. Robert Brigham, courtesy; Mrs. Richard Opalinski, citizenship and legislative; Mrs. Robert Brigham, Founders Day; and Mrs. Robert Edgington, health.

Others ratified are Mrs. Richard Jacklin, honorary life; Mrs. LeRoy Grace, hospitality; Mrs. Clarence Lundy, inspirational; Mrs. Bert Richardson, membership; Mrs. Leo Feuer, typing and newsletter; Mrs. Doald Credell, parent education.

Mrs. Carl Miller, publicity; Mrs. Robert Fawley, co-publicity; Mrs. Art Lester, record book; Mrs. William Stiles Jr., room representative; Mrs. Robert Prior, co-room representative; Mrs. Pat Solon, welfare; and Mrs. Paul Heronime, library, are others ratified.



MRS. WAYNE LEE ROWBERRY ... the former Marynelle Brown —Photo by Seeman

Brown, Rowberry Say Morning Vows

Exchanging morning vows, Marynelle Brown became the bride of Wayne Lee Rowberry, Aug. 27, at St. Catherine Labourne Church with the Rev. William Hollinger presiding.

Miss Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon F. Brown, 4443 W. 168th St., Lawndale. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rowberry of Canoga Park.

Appearing in a dress with bodice of chantilly lace and a skirt of silk organza, the bride was given away in marriage by her father at 10 a.m. She carried a bouquet of white roses with an orchid and stephanotis.

Attending the bride was Nadine Hughes, matron of honor, and Carole Cook of Torrance, bride's maid. They wore emerald green dresses of satin and carried yellow roses.

Standing up for the bridegroom was Richard Bell of Torrance, with Vernon F. Brown Jr. ushering.

The bride's mother wore a pink lace over taffeta gown

and the bridegroom's mother appeared in a floral chiffon over taffeta dress at the double ring ceremony.

After the reception, which has held immediately following the ceremony at the Hawthorne Knights of Columbus Hall, the newlyweds departed for a Big Bear Lake honeymoon.

The bride, who attended Nativity School in Torrance for eight years, is a graduate of St. Michael's High and has attended Mount St. Mary's College.

Rowberry, who is employed by Ramo Wooldridge Corporation, is a graduate of Grantsville High in Utah. He attended El Camino College.

The new Mr. and Mrs. Rowberry will reside in Canoga Park.

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Couple Says Promises During Nuptial Mass

During a Nuptial Mass at Nativity Catholic Church, Emma F. Valencia became the bride of Raymond Albert Homel at a 10 a.m. ceremony Aug. 27.

The bride wore a long-sleeve gown with a chapel train and lace bodice, which was made of nylon organza. She carried white carnations, stephanotis and an orchid.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Adelina Valencia, 1634 W. 215th St., and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Homel of Inglewood.

Miss Valencia was given away in marriage by Louis F. Valencia, her brother, at the double ring ceremony.

Attending the bride as matron of honor, Mrs. Connie Elswick, bride's sister, wore a pink nylon organza, street-length gown and carried dark pink nosegay carnations.

Bride's maids were Lily Babb and Bernadette Avery. Miss Babb wore a peppermint green nylon organza gown and carried a bouquet of light pink nosegay carnations.

Miss Avery wore a open blue nylon organza gown contrasting with her light pink nosegay carnation bouquet.

Standing up for the groom was Jack Sargent, best man, and Robert Pottberg and Lor-an Sanders, ushers.

Sally Anne Rodriguez served as flower girl attired in a yellow dress.

The bride's mother was gowned in pink with white accessories and the bridegroom's mother wore blue with matching accessories.

Sorority Slates 'Gay 90's' Party

Gamma Psi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority will present its Annual Gay Nineties Party Sept. 17 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 16535 S. Berendo, Gardena, at 8 p.m.

Card games will be played and refreshments served for a donation of \$1. Door prizes will be auctioned.

Proceeds will go to the American Cancer Society. The main door prize is a paid trip to the Riviera Hotel in Las Vegas for two days and two nights. The sorority announced that the public is invited.

After an 11 a.m. outdoor patio buffet at 1625 W. 222nd St., the newlyweds departed for a honeymoon at Santa Maria and Crestline.

The bride is a 1954 graduate of Torrance High and a 1956 graduate of El Camino. She is employed by the de-

partment of employment as an interviewer.

Homel, a 1953 graduate of Inglewood High, has attended El Camino and received his bachelor of arts degree in bacteriology. He is employed by the auditing department of the L.A. Times.



MRS. RAYMOND ALBERT HOMEL ... nee Emma F. Valencia

—Photo by Seeman

Group Presents Monetary Award

The Eta Mu Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha presented the Harbor Area Exceptional Childrens Foundation with a check for \$100 at the Annual Beef Barbecue held by the school recently.

Virginia Bry, president of

Eta Mu, presented the check to Violet McCormick head of the school.

Also present at the barbecue were Laura Pesola, Elizabeth Launer, Mr. and Mrs. Duke, Mr. and Mrs. Giuliano and Mr. and Mrs. Bry.



INITIAL MEETING—New members of the Little Company of Mary Hospital Auxiliary board meet for the first time, with fall term officers assuming positions. Commencing duties are (left to right, front, seated) Mrs. Clarence VanLingen, first

vice president; Mrs. Frank H. Forester, president; Mrs. Curt Millsap, treasurer; (back, standing, left to right), Mrs. Don Cowden, gift shop chairman; and Mrs. Paul Hogan, financial secretary.

Lioness Reports on Recent Confab

Speaking on the recent Lions convention, Mrs. Nels Cullum of the North Torrance Lioness Club gave a report to the organization at its regular business meeting this month held at Club Alondra.

Mrs. Nels Cullum attended the convention with her husband, who is president of North Torrance Lions.

During the business meeting, Mrs. Ronald Peterson was appointed by the president, Mrs. Dan McLayne, to hold the office of mane-taner.

The women also planned a ladies night, where Lions invite their spouses to attend the first September meeting, to be held at the Western Club.

Attending were Meses. Jack Parker, Alton Hieb, Ronald Peterson, Charles Comstock, Wayne Kimble, Jack Smith, Charles Thomas, Nels Cullum, Clay Nolan, Richard Hubert, Dan McLayne, Sal Perez, Eugene Brown, Donald Wilson, Robert Church, Harry Henderson, Earl Chambers, Paul Earrick.

San Francisco Couple Vacations at Torrance

Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Hoening, recently in the South Bay area for three weeks, away from their home in San Francisco, have returned after a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Russell of Hollywood Riviera.